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BRIEF NOTES

the pious editor of the Knoxville called out into an open place and made to stand in a semi circle facing the fetich

On Friday last C. W. Parker and on Friday last C. W. Parker and family including servant, were taked ing violently ill after eating homemade bread. On investigation a last state of the letter.

In the majority of cases, this exhortation is extinct but if not, he gets down upon his knees and talks and mumbles to his idel, making it presents of say a bottle barrel of flour was found which had been poisoned with arsenic enough to kill fifty people. An overdose, by causing vomiting, doubtless saved the lives of the family. ed the lives of the family.

multiplicity of studies, and every nances of the men before him, and is day witnesses a strengthened belief quick to note those that may show guilt, in the theory that it is better to do or a guilty knowledge of the act. It is rare that the fetich is continued beyond one thing well than a dozen things

the special hix bonds issued by has to be done. North Carolina in 1868 in aid of railroads. Attorneys General Garland and J. N. Staples, of North Carolina, appeared for the complainants and T. C. Fuller, of Raleigh, and C. M. Robinson, of New York, for the respondents. This is said to be the first time the question of the North Carolina special tax bends has been before the Supreme Court.

A surprising example of artistic ability was cited by Mr. Henry Blackburn in his last lecture upon English water-colors. He said that he knew an artist who understood the "value of a line" to such a perfection that he could draw a picture in his pocket. When a street scene interested him he would put his hand in his pocket, soize a pencil, and illustrate the event without taking the paper or pencil out of the poc et.

A frigrate birdlinay move through the air on motionles "soaring" wings at the rate of 100 miles an hour, or he may loiter at only two miles.
The velocity seems to depend on will rather than limitations of pow-er. So says a recent student of the phenomena of fight.

Whitlock receivs new goods every day, so den't forget when you want something new and nobby to call on him.

Fresh oysters and game, just re-ceived, at McCarty & Co.'s restaurnat to-day.

TERRORS OF FETICH.

SUPERSTITIONS OF THE NATIVES OF THE CONGO COUNTRY.

"Makes Fetich"-When Its Powerful Ald Is Invoked-The Crowning Act, or Seal.

Boston Herald.)

Like all aboriginal people, the Congo blacks are very superstitious, but to what extent they believe in a future state can only be sonjectured. They believe in the existence of good and bad spirits, which they believe are all the time hovering around, and when one of them dies they believe that his spirit or soul is seized upon by either the good or the bad spirits, and carried away to become one of them. and carried away to become one of them.
Hence, when a native is dying, his friends
come around, fire off guns, and make
horrible noises, for the purposes of fright
ening off the evil spirits. What effect this
may have on the good spirits is not

Their religious ceremonies are not of a propitiatory nature, or for the purpose of warding off danger, disease, etc., and here the fetich plays an important part. They do not make human sacrifices like the Ashantes, but when they want any favors from the invisibles they bring a goat or a chicken to the fetich man to be sacrificed, and are given in return an amulet or coarm, or fetich, as they call it. The fetich is the terrible, the unknown power. at once the persecutor or the avenger, according as its power is invoked or directed. This the present informant illustrated by an anecdote.

THE FACTORS! STRATEGY. The Dutch have a factory at Banana point, which is approtched by two roads, one on each shore side of the narrow peninsula. On the boundary line of their property, on each road, a watch house was established, to regulate admittance from established, to regulate admittance from the outside. But the laborers, servants and sailors from outside came in in such numbers, and gave so much trouble by getting drunk and creating disturbances, that the agents finally thought it best to make a fetich, as it is termed, on the boundary line. They employed a fetich man to make a fetich. This consisted first in bringing his fetich or idol on to the line, making figures in the sand around it, and tiourishes or signs around and above and flourishes or signs around and above it with his hands and arms, and then taking a chicken, cutting its head off and sprinkling the blood around. This ceremony was performed on each road. In about twenty four hours' time the news of what had been done spread far and wide, and so effectually did it frighten the natives that they ceased to go to the Datch factory town thereafter unless they had been spread to the control of the control had business there. They supposed that if they passed that line and made any trouble, they would be subject to the penalties of the fetich, whatever they might be, and they were no doubt all the more terrible be ause their precise nature was not known.

One of the chief uses of fetich by the factors on the Congo is to recover stolen articles of any value, for unless the loss be considerable it often costs more to recover it by this means than it is worth, though the thief has invariably to pay the cost of prosecution if he can be held to do it. When an article has been stolen and the aid of the fetich is invoked, all King Theban has four queens, but the men upon whom suspicion falls are Journal thinks the England's queen with four aces will take the pot.

The approaching session of Congress is the coming event that is casting it-shadow before.

The American Spirit Association is no a religious institution, but one having relation to the tax on whiskey.

The power and wrath of the fetich.

The power and wrath of the fetich acing the fetich man is a kind of idol made of wood, representing in rude carving a man or beast, usually with two heads—is first placed on a cloth on the ground, the fetich man handling it with the same care and treating it with the same consideration as if it were a living, sentient being, as undoubtedly the natives generally also regard it. He then delivers a kind of barangue to the men in front of him, telling what has been stolen, and calls upon the thief to own up and make restitution before he invokes the power and wrath of the fetich. the power and wrath of the fetich.

The Comanche Ingians having left their own agencies and reservations have complained to the government of being hungry, other agencies refusing to feed them. The government tells them it cannot afford a travelling commissary, and they must stay at home if they with to be fed.

Life is too short for men to be come thoroughly familiar with a multiplicity of studies, and every goods Having done this the fetich man

none thing well than a dozen things indifferently.—Galueston News.

Rob't Smith, district manager for R. G. Dun & Co., Galveston, says the less by the fire is \$1,000,000 over and above insurance. 570 honses were burned, very many of the occupants being without one dollar to commence with. While much is being done, a vast deal remains to be done. on to the terrible vengeance invoked against the sinner, the crowning act, or The case of Baltzer & Taaks

against the Raleigh and Augusta
Air Line Railroad was argued Tuesday in the United States Supreme
Coust. The principal question instance was the constitutionality of The small number of nails that are driven in ido's a test how seldom this last actions.

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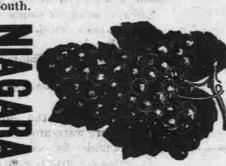
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